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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

JEFF. DAVIS AND HIS PACK COMPLETELY SURROUNDED.

GEN. GRIERSON CLOSE UPON THEIR HEELS.

The Indiana Conspirators to be Hanged on the 19th Inst.

The Conspiracy Court in Session with Closed Doors.

Germany Gives Three Cheers for the Union Victories.

THE CAVALRY ARM TO BE CONSOLIDATED UNDER PHIL. SHERIDAN.

The Surrender of Dick Taylor's Army Confirmed.

Great Meeting in Washington—The Return of Rebels Denounced.

ARRIVAL OF THE FRENCH MINISTER, THE MARQUIS DE MONTHOLON.

Immense Success of the 7-30 Loan, Over Fifteen Millions Taken Yesterday.

DEMORALIZATION OF JOHNSTON'S ARMY—REBEL OFFICERS MURDERED.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Reorganization of the Cavalry—Officers to be Recommended for Promotion—Details for the Reorganization Plan—Reducing Medical supplies—Jeff. Davis Completely Surrounded—The Conspiracy Trial.

[Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, May 9.

The cavalry force of the Army of the Potomac is to be disbanded, as has been stated. Gen. Sheridan's command is expected to arrive at Alexandria in a few days, when it will be mustered out. The grand review, after which it will be reorganized and remounted, preparatory to being set to work, will probably take place on the 23d inst. Officers will also be reorganized, and probably consolidated into one grand division, the whole to be under the immediate command of Sheridan. The several officers now consolidated will be mustered out, leaving one hundred thousand men. What disposition is to be made of this powerful force of veterans is not yet known. It is said that Sheridan will be ordered to the Gulf States, as an opportunity to participate in the re-habilitation of State governments in the Rebel States, a large force will remain at the Mississippi.

GOOD PROMOTION.

Gen. Grant has ordered the several corps commanders to recommend a certain number of meritorious officers of their commands for promotion in the regular army.

ILLness of the President.

President Johnson has been quite unwell yesterday but was better to-day, and was present at the Cabinet meeting.

THE BOOTH CASE.

The two Garretts who were arrested at their father's house near Port Royal, on the 24th inst., and Harold were confined, were released to-day on parole. They are theatrical witnesses in the case. It has been ascertained that Mrs. Surratt, Payne and several confederates in the theater at the time of the assassination, by Booth's command, had the control of the means of turning off the gas as soon as a fired the pistol. Harold, after giving him an opportunity to escape without being recognized. The others had minor parts to perform, such as spouting and closing the theater door, etc.

REDUCING MEDICAL SUPPLIES.

The order issued from the War Department a few days ago directing the discharge of all patients in hospitals who were in a condition to be sent to their homes, has had the effect of relieving to the veteran reserve corps, Hancock's corps, of the regular army. The Medical Purveyors have been ordered to suspend all further purchases of medical and hospital supplies until the stock on hand is reduced to a point where it will be safe to resume purchasing, and all contracts for the delivery of such supplies have been suspended. The Purveying depot at surgeon's supplies, Medical, Purveyor's depot, and Purveying depot will be discontinued except those at New York, Philadelphia and Louisville. Distributing purveying depots will be continued only at Washington, Louisville, St. Louis, New Orleans, Hilton Head, Nashville and San Francisco. Medical directors have also been instructed to reduce as rapidly as possible the number and accommodations of the general hospitals in their departments, and to retain only such hospitals as are owned by the Government or occupied without rental.

JEFF. DAVIS SURROUNDED.

General Grant received a dispatch to-day announcing that Jeff. Davis and his fleeing party are completely surrounded by our forces in Georgia, and that there is no possible chance for the escape of the Rebel Chief except by artificially swimming a thicket, and that he cannot by even then not escape the vigilance of our men. Major General Griffenson, of Wilson's command, is in General Grierson's command, is in charge of the operations, and was present at the capture of Atlanta. It is understood that General Grierson had captured the fugitives.

THE CONSPIRACY COURT.

The court for the trial of the assassination conspirators met to-day and proceeded with the examination, no witnesses were examined. Rules were adopted for the guidance of court, adjourned from day to day, Sundays excepted, at 10 o'clock A. M. Sessions will be held with closed doors, and all testimony is to be secret, subject to Judge Advocate Holt's order. The orders of thirty to forty thousand dollars as was reported.

FROM DETROIT

[Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

DETROIT, May 9.

Governor Crapo has issued a proclamation appointing Thursday, June 1st, as a day of thanksgiving, humiliation and prayer, the same day as appointed by President Johnson. He enjoins upon the people of the State of Michigan earnest and solemn observance of the day named apart.

SEVEN-THIRTIES.

An Immense Aggregate Subscribed for Yesterday—Over Fifteen Millions Taken Up.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—Jay Cooke reports the subscriptions to-day to the 7-30 loan at $6,150,000. The largest single western subscription was $500,000 from the Second National Bank of Chicago, and $500,000 from the Fourth National Bank of Cincinnati. The largest subscription in one day were from Fisk & Hatch, of New York, $5,000,000 from H. Clews & Co., $1,500,000, from the Second National Bank, Washington, $270,000, from the First National Bank, Cleveland, $100,000. The subscription for the $1,000,000 by the New York banking house of Jay Cooke & Co., included the subscriptions of circles of Philadelphia finance which the news seemed prompt.

NEW YORK, May 9th, 1865.

To Jay Cooke, subscription Agent, Philadelphia:

We send you greeting from our new office, No. 5 Nassau street. Order for one Axe Checkers, Alexander and sisters for hundred and thirty-two.

(Signed) FISK & HATCH.

"Checkers" in 7-30 cypher means millions, and Alexander and sisters for hundred and thirty-two, order, therefore, was for $6,000,000. Fisk & Hatch are entitled to the credit of having made the largest single subscription ever made to a Government loan in this country.

FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

The Rebel Army Demoralized—Rebel officers Murdered—Dread Indignation Against Jeff. Davis.

RALEIGH, May 9.—A gentleman who has just arrived here from North Carolina, reports that the rebel troops surrendered to Gen. Johnston are greatly demoralized. Over a hundred deserters pass beyond the control of their officers, who are striving to reach home before the surrender. The officers generally become the objects of intense hate, and it is as much as their lives are worth to venture away from the lines. Quite a number have been murdered by their soldiers, who seem to be tempted to murder them for the sake of plunder. The small force of negro which the officers are understood to have with them.

EXPRESSIONS OF INDIGNATION.

The rebel soldiers express intense feeling against Jeff. Davis and the various members of his cabinet, and say that if Jeff. Davis or any of the leaders of the rebellion fall into their hands he will fare hard.

All last accounts say cavalry were in vigorous pursuit of Jeff. Davis.

Arrival of the French Minister.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—A special to the *Evening Telegraph* from Kalbsgrift, says the French minister, with the Marquis de Montholon, the newly appointed Minister to Mexico, is expected to arrive down the bay, and is expected to arrive here to-day with the minister and suite on board the frigate Gassendi.

New State Organization.

NEW YORK, May 9.—A special to the *Post*, from Washington, says: "The Richmond *Whig*, of Saturday, announces the appointment of Pierpont as Governor of Virginia. It is understood that he will issue a proclamation this week declaring vacant all civil offices in that State, and ordering a new election.

Non-Intercourse with Rebels.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—A resolution introduced in the Old Colonist has eight disapproving of the action of the President in relation to the surrender of Johnston's army, and a public meeting to express the views of such persons as may desire to express the views of such persons as may desire to express the views of such persons as may desire

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WAR WAGED AND WON--FRUITS OF VICTORY.

Our "erring Southern brethren" repudiated their obligations to the American Union and system of government. They would have been held under some form of European government, but in the new world they were necessarily, by choice and experience, rebels. They decided to secede, peaceably if possible, by force if they must. Being reduced to the latter alternative by the stubborn spirit of Puritanism, they threw down the gage of war, and appealed to the God of battles to sanction the establishment of an Empire founded on Slavery, or to lose a mere general term, cause--or to accept their interpretation of their purpose, they sought to secure their own independence, by which they meant the dependence and subservience of somebody else. We accepted the issue, and after a four years' conflict, unprecedented in history, and watched with breathless interest by the whole world, the cause of civility have paused upon our banners. Let us make a brief reckoning of the fruits of victory.

The first and choicest fruit of victory is--emancipation. And in this the victors have gained a triumph over themselves. This was has aroused and developed a loyalty that was latent--supposed lost. Patriotism had become diffusive, constringal. The centripetal force of national gravity had slacked, ceased to influence the onward course of growing, radiant America. The attraction from Mexico ter corrected all this. The dangerous tendencies of the dogma of State supremacy were defined, and the continually accumulating devotion and sacrifice of the past four years have demonstrated that the preservation of nationality has become an secondary consideration in the American mind. The period of dissolving basis. We no longer hold questionable position among the great powers of the world. The Kings of the earth, as well as ourselves, have come to recognize and respect our national strength and unity.

Another fruit of victory is *emancipation*. The United States are now not merely virtuent in the world, but by Lincoln's immortal proclamation are consistent before themselves and the whole earth. The shackles of four millions of slaves no longer give the lie to our assumed championship of Freedom's cause. While the ambition of slavery may not have been the end for which the war was originally undertaken, its removal became necessary in the successful prosecution of the conflict, and every loyal American heart, and every soul throughout the globe that sympathizes with the cause of human rights claims emancipation as one of the substantial gains of triumph. Only Copperhead connoisseurs consider it among the "Dead sea fruits of Victory."

Another fruitage of victory, not yet quite mature, we fear, is *conciliation*. In a late publication, however, concerning the feeling of the rebel army, Alfred Ashbury remarks: "*All are not frankly that they are soundly whipped, and that slavery is dead.*" If this feeling were universally true, victory would be indeed complete. They are whipped and slavery is dead, but until the pride and arrogance of these aristocratic aristocrats is humbled that they will acknowledge it, the battle is but half won. Until the tyrannous spirit that held dictatorial sway alike over negroes, poor whites, and Northern doughfaces is utterly broken down, the "art of living together" with our erring Southern brethren" cannot be practiced to any great extent. Let us--then only will their castigation be complete. Another late dispatch concerning the feeling of Carolina, people says:

"The wealthy slaveholders, the aristocracy, harbor bitter grief and anger. Many of the most of the prominent landholders on our line of march are anxious to sell their plantations at a sacrifice. Gen. Logan, commanding the 15th Army Corps, purchased a fine plantation at a nominal price of an aristocratic South Carolinian, who is preparing to emaciate himself.

This class of people talk very hopefully of an early continuance of the war with the North. Their power, and declare that when that comes the prestige and authority of the Union will be at an end, and the standards of our fore and thus realize their wild dream of a Southern Slave Confederacy of Warrington and Fitzwilcox generals. I found the most inveterate and intolerable rebels. The result are most evident. Slavery is dead, and Copperhead is in her bones. They are invariably more contrite than the stay-at-home sycophants, whose cheeks other instincts have not caused to overcome them. Even the marks of war's ravages, by which they suffer, are to them a badge of honor, and the arrogance that characterizes the secession-speak of the Fernando Wood school, has been appointed Assistant Secretary, in place of Mr. Field, is contradicted. No successor to Mr. Field has been named, although he is anxious to be relieved from his place, owing to ill-health.

CORRECTION.--Our correspondent made a mistake as to the military escort at the funeral obsequies in Springfield. The following composed the escort: 140th Illinois Volunteers, Col. H. Dean, commanding; 14th Iowa Battalion, Capt. R. Hoffbauer; 24th Michigan Volunteers, Lieut. Col. Edwards; Co. E, 33d V. R. C., Capt. Cornelius.

Let croaking Copperheads, who are insidiously stabbing the present administration by referring to the rash measures of the late President, be admonished by the terrible reward of the order after Judge Campbell commenced to display his old impotence by suggesting that the rendered conciliation must be used toward the fugitive members of the Legislature, and large concessions be made to them as the basis for reconstructing that sacred body!

Pride goeth before a fall, and until that fall is dust, arrogance will not abate. Mark the closing sentence in our first leader above. Except among the irreverate would-be opposition, victory is not in vain. Our correspondent says:

"While the officers and soldiers seem to feel their failure deeply, all admitted that the war was over and they must go home. The citizens everywhere gladly hail the approach of peace. As I have ever found in the last two and a half years of acquaintance in the South, the planters, the citizens, the white laborers and the blacks, are in contented over our success."

Meanwhile let us rejoice that we have gained *Nationalization* and *Emancipation* as the golden fruits of victory, and that *Unification* is surely attaining mainrity.

A FALSE CHARGE EXPOSED.

An item has been going the rounds of the Copperhead papers, charging the New York Tribune with having recommended the displacement of Mr. Lincoln in 1861 or 1862 by revolutionary means. This is the alleged language:

"An imbecile administration has given indications of a terror of its incompetency to conduct a war. Even its own friends are constrained to confess the helplessness and vacillating character of its chief. Under EXTRA CONSTITUTIONAL EMERGENCY, leading to hopeless divisions in the North, and general anarchy."

The Confederate print in this city made the extract the text of a long and abusive tirade against Republicans in general and the N. Y. *Times* in particular, and plead it as a justification for the open recommendation last summer, to assassinate President Lincoln. The N. Y. *Times* notices the Chicago Treason shrieker "to take note of the exact state of public sentiment, and to observe the sentiment as this ever-supposed in the ... mind of the N. Y. Times."

And furthermore, that the paragraph in question originated in the N. Y. *Herald*, which, at the time, was the leading pro-slavery Copperhead paper. The *Herald* more than once proudly hailed all insides of superseding Mr. Lincoln by violence, and making George B. McClellan Dictator and subsequently him in the Presidential chair. It was a favorite Copperhead scheme for at least a year, and was freely discussed by the cachers of that infamous and *diabolical* ... The plan was to overthrow the Administration by a coup d'etat and then carry it with its rebel-making each terms after made as Jeff. Davis & Co. would agree to. It is rather cool for the Copperheads to turn round now and charge their own treasonable purpose on the Administration party itself. But nothing in this world, or any world, possesses the sublimity of impudence of a Copperhead, unless it be a Confederate.

THE END OF HIS CAREER.

What mockery will Southern brag and bluster is presented by the retreating form of Jeff. Davis running a flying race through Georgia with the angry dishes and spoons of the Southern ladies, without having stopped during the war exposed his person to danger! What a contrast between this picture and that which he presented a few months ago when, standing on ... Lincoln was induced by ... and faint-hearted Greeleyre to send to Richmond! Then Jeff. Davis said to Clingman and ...

"You may make up your minds that this ... will be the last time you will ever see me in ... I will never surrender. I will never ... I will never leave the soil of Virginia ... I will never ... I will never ... I will never

Special Notices.

Doctor Bigelow

If in any Physician is a specialist now in the city and can be entirely relied upon, Dr. Bigelow is one. He has made the treatment of Private Diseases a study for the last twenty years, and in that length of time many cases of all kinds have come under his care. Those who have been unfortunate enough to contract the disease, or who have been imposed upon by pretending Physicians, should not lose a day in consulting Dr. Bigelow, for he will cure them in the shortest time possible. All persons who have been salivated by Mercury, or who have Mercurial Rheumatism

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